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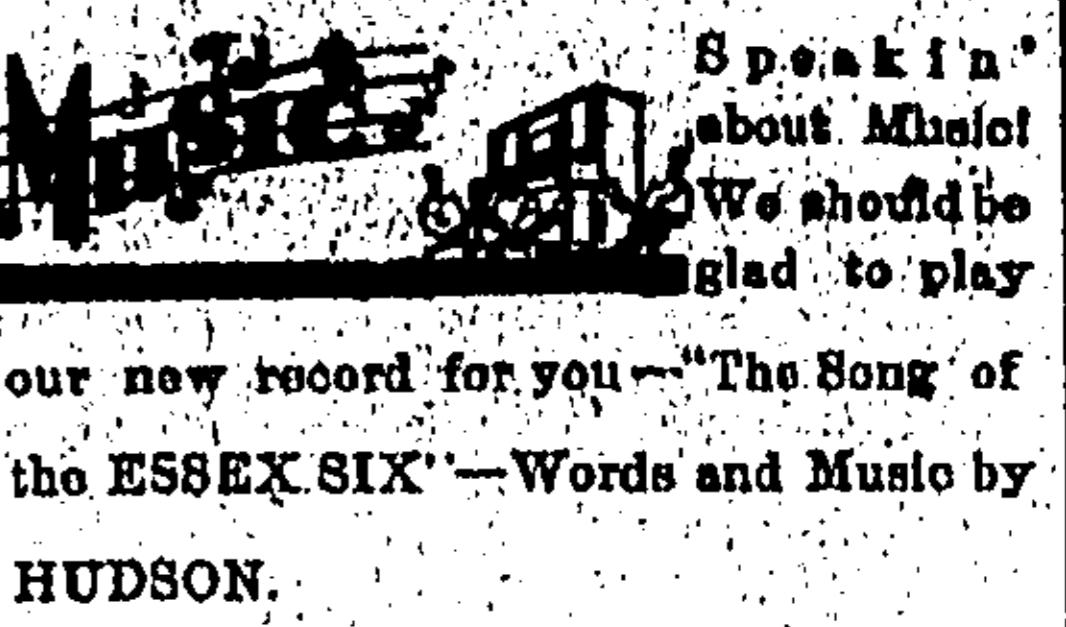
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## KOWLOON HOSPITAL

### STAFF QUESTION DECIDED

#### Government Abandons Former Proposal.

On enquiry at the Colonial Secretariat this afternoon we were informed that the Government has decided to abandon the proposal to staff the new Kowloon Hospital with Sisters of the Maryknoll Mission.

It is well in the public mind that this question has recently aroused considerable controversy, and that on Tuesday last the Kowloon Residents' Association, following the receipt of a petition from 610 British residents of Kowloon, wrote to the Government suggesting that the proposal to employ Maryknoll Sisters be reconsidered. The decision now reached is doubtless the outcome of the advice tendered by the Association.

### FIRED ON BY PIRATES.

#### LOCAL MOTOR BOATS EXPERIENCE

The story of another piratical attack in the West River is learned to-day by the arrival back in port of the Kin Lee motor tow boat, belonging to the Kin Lee Motor Lighter Company.

It appears that the motor tow boat was on its way from Kowloon to Hongkong and had in tow a lighter laden with stones for the Cement Company. In the early hours of yesterday, and when the boat was in Sai Lam Channel, it was fired on from the bank and also from some small boats.

Knowing the district to be infested with pirates, the master of the motor tow boat cut the tow line and, leaving the lighter to take care of itself, proceeded back to Kowloon. When the convoy of river steamers passed the spot later, they saw the lighter anchored near to the shore, with no-one aboard.

According to the information available, it would seem that the one man left aboard the lighter had been taken away. The Kin Lee motor tow boat later returned to the scene, presumably under escort, and regained the lighter, bringing it down to Hongkong, where enquiries into the matter are being made.

### BOY KILLED.

BY P.W.D. LORRY.

A steam lorry belonging to the Public Works Department knocked down and killed a Chinese boy, 11 years of age, at Whitfield, Causeway Bay, yesterday.

The driver and fireman have been detained by the police.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

(To the Editor, 'Hongkong Telegraph'.)

#### At Last.

Sir.—The Opium Conference can disband; Fuzzyfoot can go back to the farm—for the elixir has been found. It is a dish which "sooths, stimulates and invigorates."

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Hongkong, Nov. 19th, 1924.

### ROCKS FROM BLASTING.

#### CIVIL SERVICE PLAYERS INJURED.

Pieces of rock following a blasting charge at Morrison Hill fell on the bowling green at the Civil Service Recreation Club yesterday afternoon and injured two players.

Mr. N. Cullip was struck over the eye by a large piece of rock, while Mr. H. F. Harper was injured on the lip and left leg when a shower of stones dropped amongst the players.

They were both taken to the Naval Hospital near-by, where their injuries were dressed.

To-day the police stated that a summons was being taken out against the contractors, Sung Lee. It will be remembered that the same contractors were recently fined \$100 for carelessness in blasting, when it was stated that dynamite charges carelessly laid resulted in big pieces of rocks crashing through the roofs of houses at Morrison Hill Road, damaging the property of the inmates and involving personal risk.

### SAIGON CONDITIONS.

#### BUSINESS VERY QUIET.

Advices from Saigon show that business in the city is now very quiet. The rice mills, most of which have only worked part time this year, are unable to sell the full quantity of the last crop.

A few sales at a low profit have been made in paddy. The Chinese buyers seem to keep away, mostly on account of the present disturbed conditions in China generally.

Saigon does not show the usual aspect of being a busy shipping port. Steamers of all kinds are lying alongside the wharves and at the buoys waiting for cargo. The latest freight quotations for No. 1 white rice from Saigon to Hongkong are HK\$0.20 per picul, which is a rate that would hardly cover the expenses of the steamship companies interested. It is expected, however, that conditions will improve with the arrival of the new rice crop very shortly, as it is a well known fact that rice is badly needed in the provinces of Kwongtung and Fukien and various other parts of China.

The north-east monsoon has been exceptionally strong this autumn, and most of the vessels proceeding from Saigon towards Hongkong report heavy weather almost continuously. This is, however, not a bad sign in itself, as according to the old weather prophets well known in these localities, it probably means very settled weather for this winter.

The streets of Saigon are quieter than they were in days of yore, and even the hotels are not doing the usual amount of trade. The old stand-by, the "Continental Hotel," the "Hotel de la Nacion," and the "Rotondo" seem to be doing as well as ever, but the other places report slack business, which can not be wondered at, considering the present conditions.

### IMPROVING CHINA'S LABOUR.

#### HIGHER WAGES IN THE OFFING.

London, Nov. 19. In an address at Manchester on the work of the International Labour Office, Mr. Tom Gillindor, of the League of Nations Union, claimed that the office had met with success in China. They would have cause to fear an economic Yellow peril unless they could do something to raise the industrial standard among the millions of China.—Reuter.

### BRITISH COMMANDER SHOT.

#### DASTARDLY OUTRAGE BY EGYPTIANS.

##### INDISCRIMINATE FIRING WHEN BOMB FAILS.

Cairo, November 19. The three or four assailants of Sir Lee Stack escaped. When their bomb did not explode they fired several rounds with revolvers, hitting Sirdar Stack, his Aide-de-Camp, the chauffeur and a police man. Sir Lee Stack was badly wounded in the stomach, and had to be sent to hospital.—Reuter.

[An earlier cable, reporting the attack on Sirdar Lee Stack by Egyptians, with bombs, did not indicate that he was seriously hurt.] Cairo, November 19.

The Sirdar was on his way home when his assailants, secreted in the doorway of the stores department of the Ministry of Education, threw a bomb which hit his motorcar but did not explode and fell in the gutter. The assailants then followed the car, firing continually. The frightened occupants of a passing tramcar took shelter by lying down. One assailant crossed the road and reloaded his revolver from a magazine handed to him by a man standing on the pavement. A policeman who pursued him was hit three times and seriously wounded. The assailants then entered a taxicab waiting in side street, and two Englishmen on a motor-cycle and sidecar slowed down for the purpose of taking the number of the taxicab, whereupon a man jumped out of the taxicab and fired repeatedly at the motorcyclists, missing them. The taxicab afterwards sped off. It is noteworthy that Mr. Asquith, who is on holiday in Egypt, had an audience with King Fuad this morning.—Reuter.

##### THE SIRDAR'S INJURIES.

Cairo, November 19. A bulletin says Sir Lee Stack is suffering from shock, and has bullet wounds in the stomach, hand and foot. His condition is serious. His Aide-de-Camp, Captain Campbell, of the Black Watch, was hit in the chest, and the chauffeur in the arm and leg.

Zaglul Pasha and other Ministers called at the Residency and expressed their profound shock and sorrow. A deputation from the Chamber expressed similar sentiments. Zaglul was obviously greatly affected by the incident.—Reuter.

##### FURTHER DETAILS.

The attack on the Sirdar was made in Sharia Kasr El-Aini, a main and busy thoroughfare. The Egyptian chauffeur, despite his wounds, put on full speed and brought the car to the Residency, which was nearer than the Sirdaria. Lord Allenby, Mr. Asquith, and others were lunching when the wounded men were brought in, and there was general stupefaction.

Zaglul Pasha, interviewed by Reuter, was greatly moved. He described his horror at seeing the wounded at the Residency, and said he went to the Palace and informed the King, who was most pained. Zaglul added that an enquiry had been opened, and the chauffeur of the taxicab had already been arrested. The Government would leave no stone unturned to bring the perpetrators to justice. Zaglul has issued a communiqué appealing to the public to aid the authorities, who are offering ten thousand pounds sterling reward for the apprehension of the criminals.

The Sirdar will be operated upon in the Anglo-American Hospital. He had intended to leave for the Sudan yesterday evening, but had postponed his departure until November 23rd.

##### OPERATION PERFORMED.

The operation on the Sirdar has proved successful. His condition is as good as can be expected.

A bullet was found lodged under the lung, and the stomach was full of blood, but the intestines were not perforated and the stomach muscles were intact. Transfusion of blood was proceeded with, and has done good. The Sirdar's condition near midnight was more hopeful.

It is thought that about eight assailants were involved, and that they escaped in two taxis.—Reuter.

[Major General Sir Leo Oliver Fitzmaurice Stack, G.B.E., C.M.G. has been Governor General of the Sudan and Sirdar of the Egyptian Army since 1919. He was educated at Clifton and Sandhurst and joined the Border Regiment in 1888. He was staff officer to the British Military Commissioner and General Officer Commanding H.M. troops in Crete in 1899, in which year he also joined the Egyptian Army. He commanded the Shambie Field Force in 1902 (despatches, medal and clasp, 4th Class Osmanieh), was Sudan Agent and Director of Military Intelligence in 1903, Civil Secretary to the Sudan Government 1913-16, and acting Governor General of the Sudan and Sirdar from 1917 to 1919. He holds several Egyptian decorations, and is 56 years of age.]

### SARCASTIC VIEW OF OPIUM CONFERENCE.

#### ALLEGED TO BE AN ENTIRE FARCE.

Geneva, November 19. The chief editor of the *Journal De Genève*, who was formerly in an important position in the Secretariat of the League of Nations, in an editorial on the failure of the preliminary Opium Conference, alleges that no State desires to take any serious step. "Making use of questions entirely foreign to the real problem, the Japanese have succeeded," he says, "in wrecking the first conference, to the profound indignation of all the States represented thereon. The United States is the only Power which will be sincerely shocked, because it wants a settlement." By reserving the right to submit the matter to the second conference, the United States "have circumvented the machiavellian calculations, those of India, for example, who hoped it would be easier to reach an agreement without the United States."—Reuter.

##### BISHOP'S VIEW OF CHINA.

Geneva, November 19. The chief speaker at to-day's Opium Conference was Bishop Bront, of the United States, who voiced America's single-mindedness in tackling the evil. He declared that they had advanced beyond the stage of pious aspirations, and must prepare for action. Alluding to the situation in China, Bishop Bront said they must eliminate the economic difficulties, and the rest would be easy. "Let the conference not adjourn until it has declared in a practical way that it is determined to pursue its ideal until it has been realised."—Reuter.

##### SEVERE PENALTY.

Victoria, November 19. The Legislative Assembly has passed a resolution authorising the law as a penalty for persons convicted of smoking in narcotics drugs.—Reuter.

### DEATH SENTENCE.

#### ABERDEEN MURDER VERDICT.

He being found guilty of the murder of an aged boatwoman at Aberdeen, sentence of death was this morning passed on a Chinese coolie by the Chief Justice. No evidence was called by the defence, and this fact was commented upon by his Lordship.

Mr. Nihill, making the final speech for the Crown, said there was no doubt that prisoner was one of the men who boarded the sampan. There were discrepancies in the evidence, but he would submit that often the fact that there were slight discrepancies showed that witnesses were telling what they knew of their own knowledge. Evidence in which statements were doctored was often concocted. Prosecuting counsel pointed out the totally different versions of what happened as given by the prisoner. He asked the jury whether the prisoner acted like an innocent man.

Mr. Fitzroy's defence took the line that no murder had been committed, and suggested that the bruise on the head was caused previous to the man boarding the sampan. The woman, he pointed out, died as the result of hemorrhage of the brain, and Dr. McKenna had agreed that the injury could have been caused as early as September 22nd by the woman suddenly rising and striking her head on the oar with which the boat was propelled. A dastardly thing had been done; there was no doubt the woman was stabbed in the neck, but that was not the cause of death.

Mr. Fitzroy went on to say that even if the jury found that murder had been committed, they could not find that any evidence whatsoever had been given to suggest that prisoner took part. There was not a scrap of evidence even to show that the man in the dock went with another man with the common purpose of committing a felony. They had given half-pay shall continue for such period as the men are not employed, but not exceeding five-and-a-half months from the date of the general return to work....

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Roughly translated, the circular to the seamen requested the attendance of those affected, at the general meeting, pointing out that the success obtained by the increase of pay did not go very far, and in point of fact was only nominal. They had still to deal with the question of half-pay in regard to which considerable delay had been caused by the absence of Mr. Sutherland and Sir Robert Ho Tung from the Colony. It might have been thought by other people, the circular stated, that the seamen were in the fortunate state of being in possession of augmented pay, but in point of fact that was not really so.

### U.S. AMBASSADOR.

#### RECEIVED BY JAPANESE PRINCE REGENT.

Tokyo, Nov. 19. Mr. Bancroft, who arrived on the 17th inst., was received in audience by the Prince Regent, when he presented his credentials, after which he was received in audience by the Empress.

The formalities were hastened in view of the Imperial garden party to-morrow.—*Daily Bulletin*.—Reuter.

### ATTACKED BY DOGS.

#### TWO FURTHER CASES.

Two more cases of attacks by dogs have been reported.

In one case, the dog, a brown and white pointer, belonging to Mr. Murdoch, 192 The Peak, bit the latter's gardener, who was sent to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment. The dog was sent to Kennedy Town to be kept under observation.

In the other case, Mr. Phillips, Headmaster of the Ying Wah College, Bonham Road, reports that one of the scholars, named Man Kwai-sun, was suddenly attacked and bitten yesterday by a yellow chow dog belonging to the College. The boy was treated at the Ho Mui-ling Hospital nearby; while the chow was taken to Kennedy Town, as in the other case.

#### BIG STRIKE RECALLED.

#### PAY QUESTION STILL UNSETTLED.

A meeting touching on one of the principal conditions in the settlement of the big shipping strike of 1922, was held at the Seamen's Union this week, when the question of strike pay claimed by the Union, and conceded by the shipowners and Sir Robert Ho Tung to the extent of 50 per cent, for a period of five-and-a-half months, was discussed. As a result, a delegation from the Union will call on Sir Robert in a few days with a statement that not all of the members have received the quota agreed to by the shipping companies.

An extract from Clause 2 of the Agreement settling the strike states: "If positions are not available for men ready to return to work... it is agreed that half-pay shall continue for such period as the men are not employed, but not exceeding five-and-a-half months from the date of the general return to work...." A Union official to-day stated that this term formed the big obstacle to the settlement, until Sir Robert Ho Tung came forward with his benevolent offer, when it was agreed that the shipping companies should pay a half-month's wage, whilst the balance would be made up by Sir Robert. This latter amount according to the official soon would in this case be for four-and-a-half months, and correspondence has passed between the Seaman's Union and Sir Robert on this point.

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67, Queen's Road, Central.**SALESMAN SAM****INTERPORT DINNER.****VISITORS ENTERTAINED  
AT HONGKONG CLUB.**

The visiting cricketers from Shanghai and Malaya were entertained to dinner at the Hongkong Club yesterday evening, and there was a large gathering of sporting enthusiasts to do honour to the occasion. A fine spirit of good fellowship prevailed throughout, and with witty speeches, interesting reminiscences and good music, the evening was a most enjoyable one, and is sure to stand out prominently in after years in the memory of those who had the pleasure of being present.

Mr. G. M. Young (the Chairman of the Club) presided and was supported by, among others, the General Officer Commanding (Major General Sir John Fowler, K.C.M.G.), the Colonial Secretary (Sir Claud Severn, K.B.E.), Commodore Grace, R.N., the Chief Justice (Sir Henry Gollan), Capt. E. J. M. Barrett, Mr. E. A. Holmes Brown (Captain of the Malaya team), Mr. H. R. B. Hancock (Captain of the Hongkong team), Mr. H. P. White, Hon. Mr. H. W. Bird, Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, and Mr. T. E. Pearce.

After the toast of H. M. the King had been appropriately honoured the Chairman proposed the toast of the Shanghai, Malaya and Hongkong teams, coupling with it the names of the three Captains. The Chairman surprised the company by remarking that the gathering was foreseen as long ago as the 1st January, 1846, when some residents of Hongkong gathered together for the purpose of forming a Hongkong Club, one of the objects of which was to keep up communications with "Northern ports" and "other countries" and be a temporary resort of residents for business, health or pleasure. The Chairman expressed the pleasure it was to them to feel that Hongkong had been chosen as the scene of the Interport matches this year and he assured all of the pleasure many of them had derived from seeing cricket in many of its phases. (Laughter). He wished all the visitors a good innings in the future and a pleasant voyage home to their "Northern ports" and "other countries." (Applause).

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But I must say that Hongkong made the most of their opportunities and were thoroughly deserving of the victories they gained. (Applause). It was particularly delightful to us all to me personally and to every man in this room, that our old friend Dick Hancock was the mainstay of the Hongkong side at the end and won the match for them (Cheers).

That Bowling Fent.

Capt. Barrett described Mr. Hancock as a wonderful type of all that is best in cricket. He was the type that the young men of to-day might well take as a model in the future. "I regret to say," he proceeded, "that I must take grave exception to remarks I have overheard about my own prowess as a bowler. It is entirely due to the jealousy of our groundman from Australia" (Laughter and Applause). I am quite sure he would do very much better if he confined himself to teaching the Consul-General how to play bridge (Laughter).

Capt. Barrett paid a tribute to Quigley's fine century, describing it as one of the finest exhibitions of plucky hitting that he had ever seen in an Interport match, and to Dr. O'Hara's marathon bowling, sending down 25 overs in what might be described as "the evening of his life" with hardly a bad ball among them.

Malaya's Invitation.

Mr. Holmes Brown, the Captain of the Malaya team, received a very flattering reception on rising to respond. He heartily congratulated Hongkong upon their fine victories and expressed the opinion that the best side won. Hongkong's batting was good, the bowling was good and, most important of all, the fielding was excellent (Applause). At the same time it was not much good having good batting, bowling and fielding unless they had someone who could utilise it to the best advantage, and that was where, he

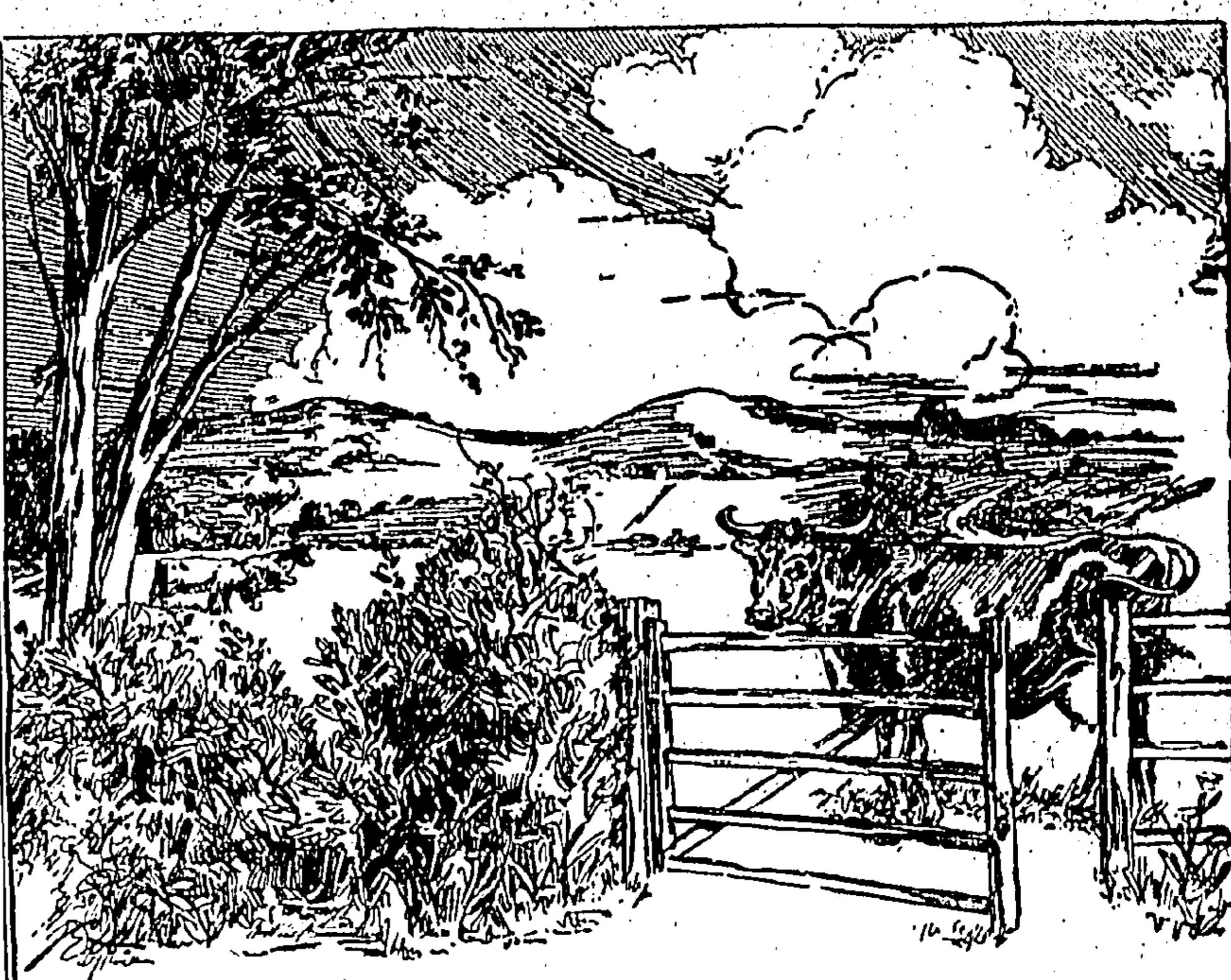
Hongkong were extremely fortunate in having such an able skipper as their old friend, Dick Hancock (Applause). What he did not know about skipping a side was, he was sure, not worth knowing. He was well supported by that able gentleman of his partners together in many Interport games and a sure and solid foundation upon which to build a successful team (Applause).

Mr. Holmes Brown also offered his congratulations to Shanghai on their victory over Malaya, specially mentioning Quigley's very fine century.

In conclusion, Mr. Holmes Brown said he had been making enquiries with regard to the possibilities of forming a team in Hongkong, and Hongkong sending teams down to Malaya, and had discovered that the consensus of opinion was that it might be possible to get a combined China side to make the journey. Cricketers in Malaya would welcome them and would possibly be able to arrange to get Ceylon to send a team at the same time. He sincerely hoped that his suggestion would be acted upon (Applause).

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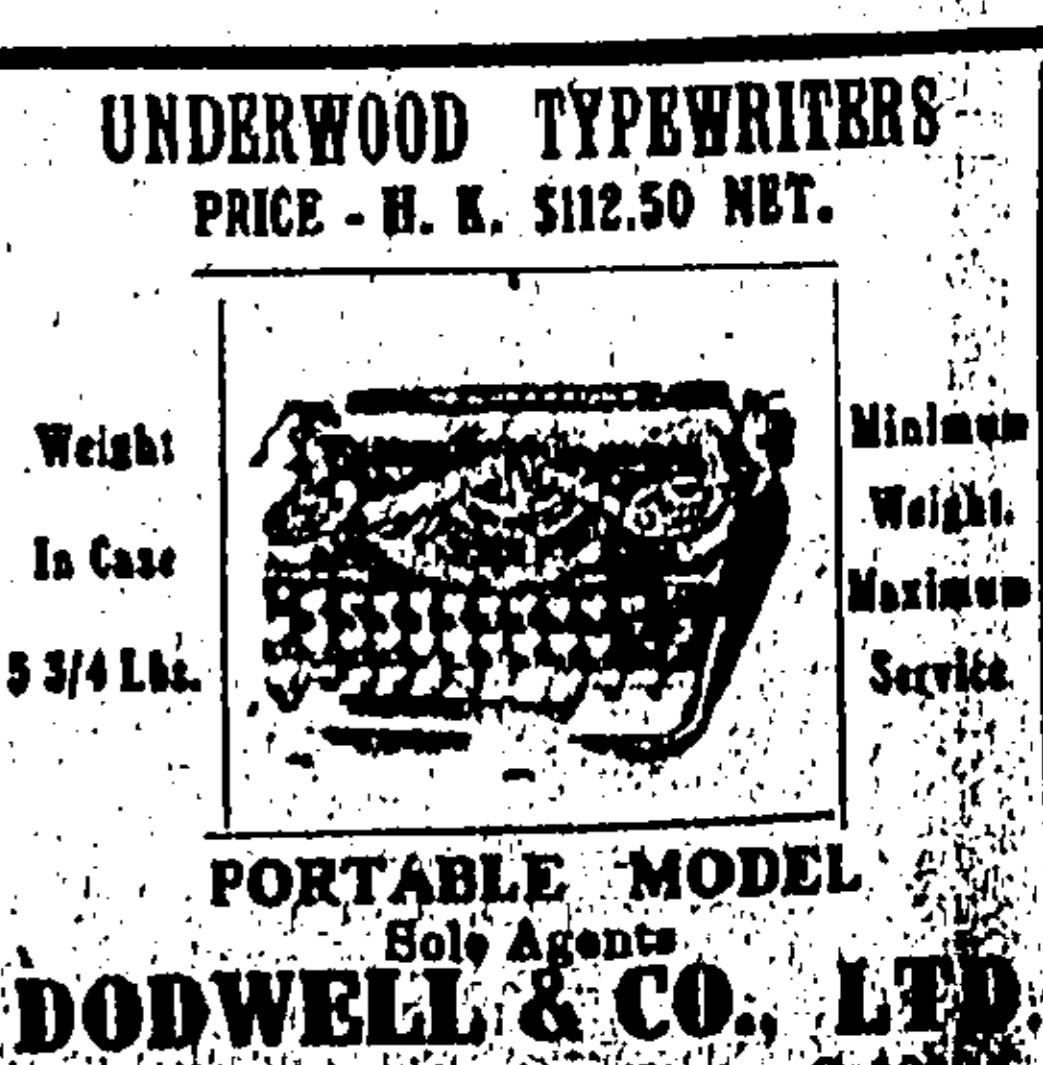
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## INTERPORT DINNER.

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matches as the most enjoyable he had ever played in. The cricket on all sides was bright, and the bowling was particularly good. Capt. Barrett was a very modest man, otherwise he would have put himself on against Hongkong. Why he did not do so he did not know. He did not suppose that many knew that his analysis was six wickets for an average of five runs apiece. (Applause).

Touching upon a personal note, Mr. Hancock congratulated his own men upon their fielding. "Gentlemen," he continued, "the game of cricket is in the very best sense of the word British. It absolutely belongs to England. Other countries have tried to play it but I do not think with very much success. I think the reason is that it has worked itself into the very marrow of English life" (Applause).

### A Great Game.

Some of them were getting on and one of two members of his side were feeling that their time had come, but others would take their places. He thought it was safe to anticipate that when the youngest member of their team had taken off his pads for the last time, there would be another cricketer just as good as himself to take his place (Applause). "Gentlemen, the love of sport is a British characteristic, and cricket is one of the finest of our national games. It is certainly up to the next generation to see that the game is played in the proper spirit of sportsmanship and friendly rivalry. See to it, everyone of you, especially the young fellows, that you keep the game as unspoiled as possible" (Cheers).

### The Guests.

The only other toast was that of the guests, which was proposed by the Hon. Mr. H. W. Bigg, who coupled with it the name of the Commodore, who, he said, bore an honoured name in the cricket world. He regretted the impending departure of His Excellency the General Officer Commanding and of the Commodore and his sporting Secretary.

Commodore Grace replied in a breezy and happy speech, and in reply to general calls, Dr. O'Hara rose and made some humorous observations upon Interport and other games.

The remainder of the evening was spent in music and song, and the hour of midnight brought a very happy gathering to a close.

## ABUSIVE NEIGHBOURS.

### COURT CASE ADJOURNED.

The case of using abusive language concerning three European ladies of Wan Chai was stated to have been partially settled by Mr. Leo d'Almada when he appeared before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Grimmett of No. 155 Wan Chai Road summoned Mrs. S. Spanton and Mrs. J. Fowler, both of No. 157 Wan Chai Road, for having used indecent language towards her on the 7th inst., and she herself was cross summoned by the other two ladies for the same offence. Mr. d'Almada appeared for the latter and Mr. G. K. Hall Bruton represented Mrs. Grimmett.

Mr. d'Almada said that the respective parties asked his Worship for a week's formal remand as it was hoped that the matter would be settled by that time.

Mr. Bruton replied that he agreed, saying that the case should never had been taken to Court. It was a matter to be settled outside. His Worship said that he would adjourn the case *sine die* and it could be taken before him again if necessary.

## PROPERTY SALE.

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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

### WEMBLEY NEXT YEAR.

London, Nov. 19.

In connection with the proposed re-opening of Wembley in 1925, the Times understands that the Government intends to propose to Parliament to increase the national guarantee to the Exhibition from the present figure of £600,000 to £1,000,000. The difference would be placed at the disposal of the Exhibition Board, which would then be enabled to help Dominions, Colonies and Dependencies which feel they are not in a position to bear the whole of the cost of a further exhibit. There is reason to believe an exhibit would be arranged in a number of cases if some such help is forthcoming.

Cape Town, Nov. 19.

The Government of the Union of South Africa has decided to participate at Wembley Exhibition in 1925.—Reuters.

## FRANCE AND RUSSIA.

Paris, Nov. 19.

According to the *Petit Parisien* M. Herriot made a statement before the Foreign Affairs committee of the Chamber of Deputies in regard to Russian recognition. He declared the Bolsheviks were carrying out active propaganda in the French colonies and protectorates which it was necessary to watch closely.

The programme of the Franco-Russian Conference would include the revision of treaties with the former Russian Government, of diplomatic and consular clauses, the regulation of movements of respective nationals, the settlement of past loans and state and private property in France and Russia, and the application of a new regime regarding private property and the application of laws.

Poland and Rumania had not objected to the recognition of the Soviet.

A Communist deputy suggested that Russian debts ought to be considered on the same basis as inter-allied debts. M. Herriot declared such a parallel was unjustified.—Reuters.

Paris, Nov. 19.

M. Jean Herbette has been appointed ambassador to Russia.—Reuters.



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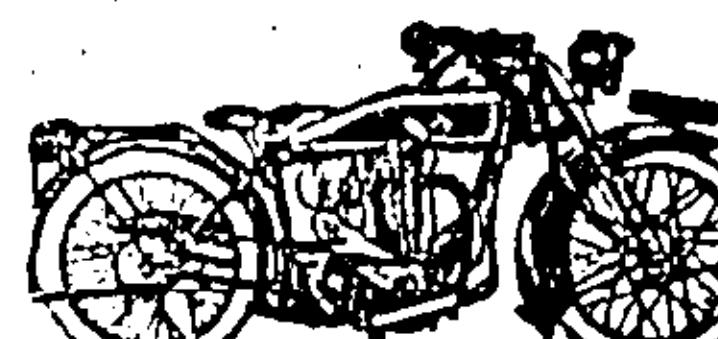
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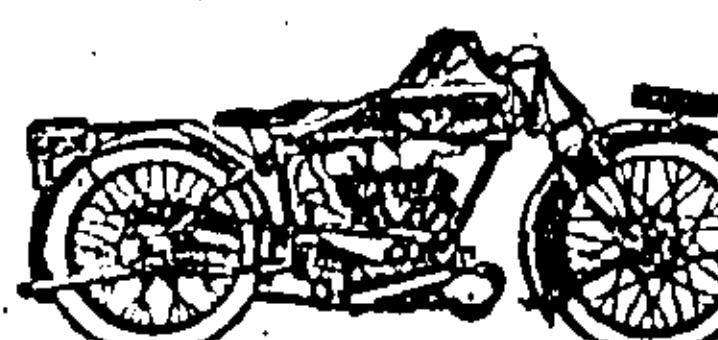
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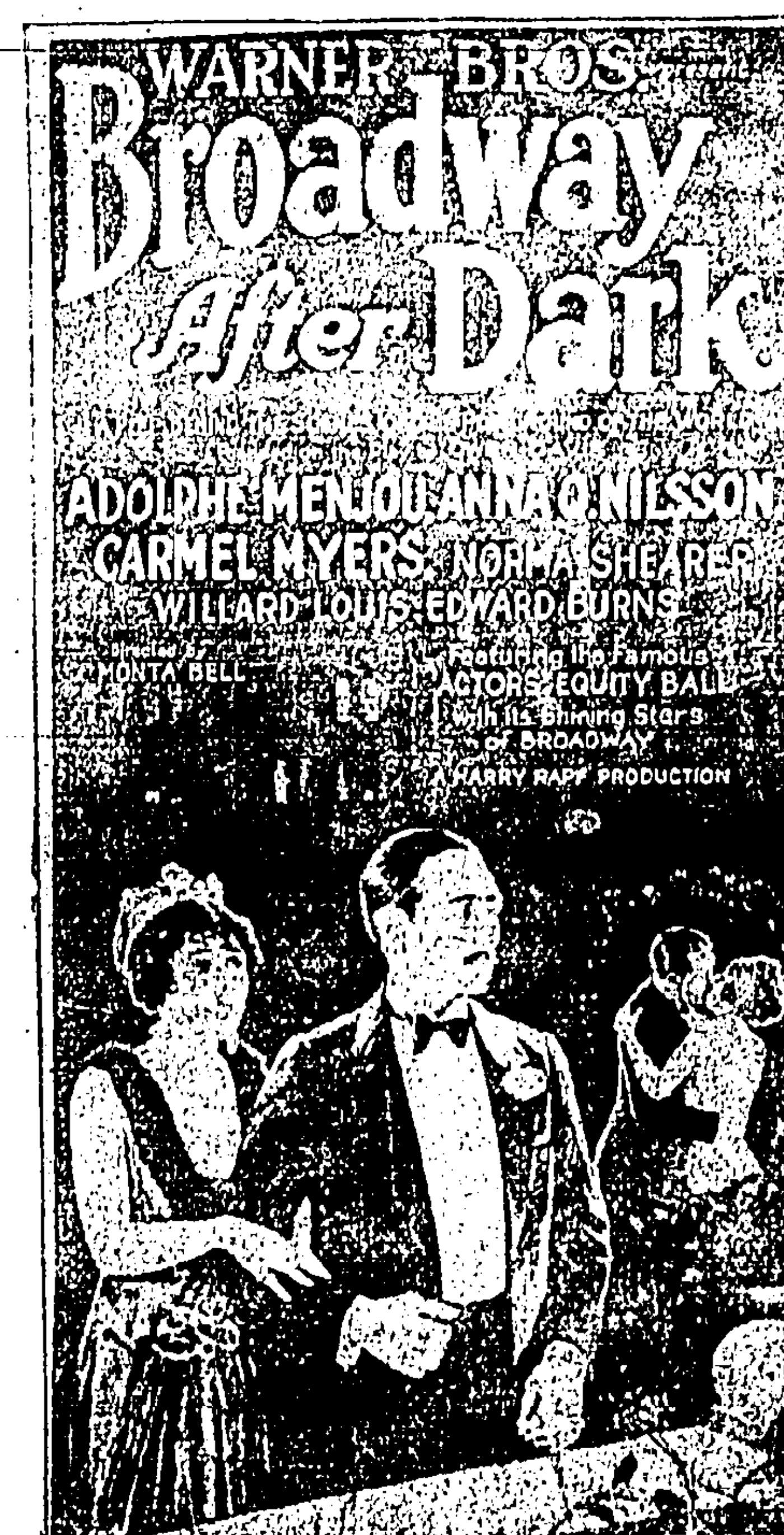
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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

## THE DISARMAMENT QUESTION.

The Daily Telegraph's diplomatic correspondent construes the British request to omit the Disarmament Protocol from the agenda of the League Council meeting on 8th December as a diplomatic euphemism. It will be scrapped. He thinks the decision need cause little surprise in view of the strong objections by the Dominions, and even in one respect by such a staunch advocate of the League as Viscount Grey of Fallodon.

The paper expresses the opinion that the present action implies a return to the original covenant, together with possible elaboration of new procedure for arbitration on justifiable questions by the World Court at the Hague.

London, Nov. 19.

—Reuter understands that the British request cabled yesterday in no wise means the scrapping of the protocol. The position is that the short time before December 8 is not considered enough to give sufficient opportunity for the fullest consideration of such an important matter in consultation with the Dominions. There is no desire to turn down the present scheme without the substitution of a constructive plan.

## BRITAIN'S MAMMOTH AIRSHIP.

London, Nov. 19.

A feature of the mammoth new airship R101, which will be constructed by the Air Ministry at Cardington for the service to India will be propellers made of steel in order to resist tropical conditions. The main part of the airship will be stainless steel. Its length will be 720 feet, height 140 feet and maximum diameter 130 feet. It will have a lifting power of 155 tons. The engines will burn heavy gas and oil fuel. It is anticipated that construction will start next July, and the ship will be ready to take her home trials at the end of 1926, and make her first trial trip to India in 1927.—Reuter.

## ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE SIRDAR LEE STACK.

Cairo, Nov. 19.

An attempt to assassinate Sirdar Sir Lee Oliver Fitzmaurice Stack K.B.E., was made this afternoon. Two bombs were thrown at him while he was driving to the ex-Ministry of war. One exploded. Sir Lee Stack was not uninjured.—Reuter.

## OBITUARY.

London, Nov. 19.

The death is announced of Cardinal Michael Logue.—Reuter. His Eminence Cardinal Michael Logue has been Roman Catholic Primate of All Ireland since 1887. He was born in County Donegal in 1840 and was formerly Bishop of Raphoe, consecrated in 1879. In 1887 he was coadjutor to the late Primate and created Cardinal in 1893.

## THE MALAY JUNGLE.

## ARISTOCRATIC MOSQUITO.

## Ape-Like Humans.

## English Climate Too Bad For It.

Mr Carvell Wells, F.R.G.S., M.I.C.E., has come to Britain to lecture after a six-years sojourn in the Malay jungle. Mr Wells was, as an engineer, surveyor for a railway across the Malay Peninsula. "I saw many strange things," he said, to a reporter of the Evening Standard.

Probably the most fantastic creature that I came across was the dwarf negro, or somang, who is believed by many to be the nearest relative of the Simian ancestors of the human race. I took what I believe is one of the few photographs of these primitive people, and then I only got it by very good luck. I was hidden behind a "camouflage," waiting to snap any stray deer that might pass, when suddenly a dwarf man and two dwarfs, with their babies crossed my line. I managed to get two pictures before terror-stricken, they disappeared again into the forest. Very few of those dwarfs have been seen outside the jungle. Once or twice the Malay people have captured men and made them into servants but they do not live long.

## CLIMBING FISH.

When you arrive in Malaya, if it happens to be low tide, added Mr. Wells, you will be amazed to see fish walking about apparently taking the air. Sometimes they climb trees to get a good look at the stranger. They are climbing perch, and they can stay out of the water as long as their gills are wet, which is roughly about 20 minutes.

Then there is the fish with which the natives play football. In Malaya it is called the puffer fish. When caught they are given to the children, who, by rubbing the stomach of the fish on the ground, cause it to take in a breath of air until it swells up like a balloon. After playing ball with it the children throw it back into a tub of water, where it floats about until it has exhaled this excess of air, and goes swimming away, none the worse for the game.

There are five flying animals in the jungle. One of them is the flying frog; then there is the flying cat and the flying dragon—a very beautifully coloured lizard, which is able to fly from one tree to another by distending its skin, very much as the prehistoric birds without feathers were able to fly.

Mr. Wells has lectured on his experiences to a number of American societies, and has brought back a film to this country, which he will show at forty different British towns during the next two months.

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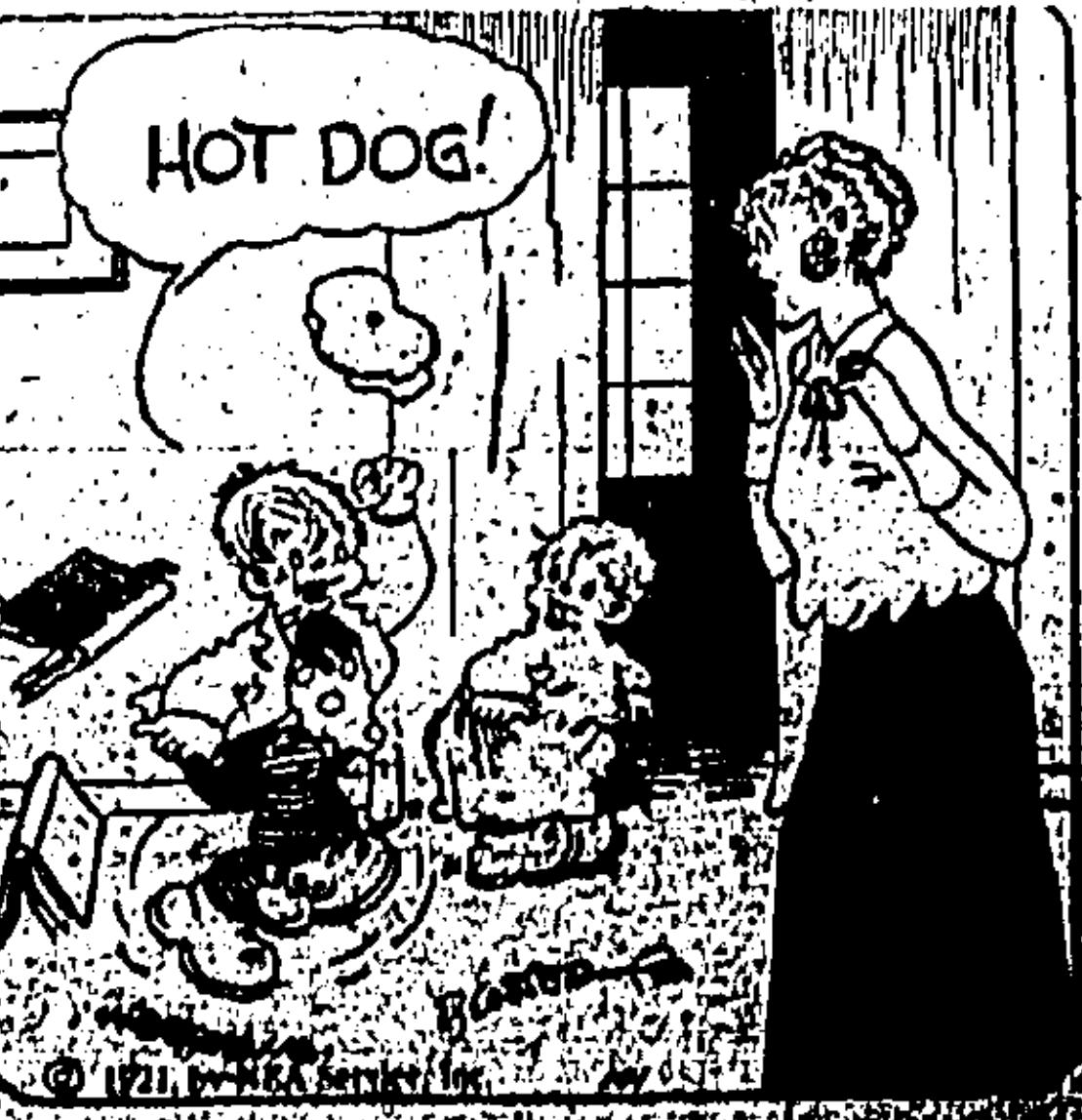
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### THE PUZZLE REMAINS.

So far from the situation in China becoming more composed as the result of recent developments, the indications are all in the opposite direction. With General Feng Yu-hsiang in nominal control in Peking, there is a makeshift Government functioning in the capital, but its mandates are now declared null and void by a number of leading militarists, including Marshal Wu Pei-fu, who have proclaimed the creation of a Military Government, with its seat at Wu-chang, and whose business will be the suppression of rebellions and the elimination of traitors. Besides these two "Governments," there is, of course, the Canton Administration, which considers itself the only constitutional Government of China. What hope there can be of an early unification of China under such circumstances, we cannot see.

One point which is constantly recurring in all these changes is that the several cliques regard themselves as the only rightful leaders of the country, and, of course, they treat all others as traitors and rebels. Nowhere, however, is there any evidence that the people of China (by which we mean the masses in the interior, as distinct from the agitators in the Treaty Ports) have any use for one party more than another. In point of fact, they do not in the least degree interest or concern themselves with the political affairs of the country, though most of them know from bitter experience what all this internecine warfare means. If they could but have their way, they would wish for nothing better than peace and concord, no matter who happens to rule the destinies of the country. But at present they are merely the victims of rival groups of militarists and scheming politicians.

Although he has suffered a reversal in the field of battle, Wu Pei-fu is still a figure to be reckoned with in the tangled affairs of this distressed country. He claims to control practically three-fourths of the Republic, and declares that he can put 20,000 men in the field if necessary. At any rate, he has drawn to his side an influential group of militarists, and his future movements will mean much in the developments ahead. The situation as between Feng Yu-

hsiang and Chang Tsu-hu is still far from clear, and until the obscurities are removed it would be unwise to speculate on what will transpire within the next few months. Like all well-wishers of China, we would that some leader or faction might arise capable of ruling the whole country and keeping the provinces together under some recognised authority. But time slips past and the puzzle remains unsolved.

### The Interports.

Now that the three Interport cricket matches have been played to a finish, one can better review the aspects of the game disclosed by these contests. Naturally, one cannot but be gratified at the excellent showing of the local eleven, and the victory which has come to Hongkong, but at the same time there is no doubt that we were up against two sides which had a good chance of beating us, had any of that wonderful "joss" of cricket come their way. The very sporting nature of the contests, with the really narrow victories, whatever else they might appear on paper, have made this tournament a memorable one. In each team there were players who "came off" in one innings and not in another, and the element of luck was just sufficiently apparent to add a spice of special interest to the course of every innings. It is very pleasing to be able to say that the teams were well matched, as anything like a one-sided game would have detracted from that full enjoyment which one expects from the great pastime. Hongkong won chiefly through good generalship and the prowess of the "old-stagers," Shanghai proved their great powers of recovery, and Malaya were unfortunate in not being able to pull off at least one match of the two—though they made a splendid try each time; and it can truly be said that congratulations are due all round.

### Dog-Destruction.

Since the introduction of the Government's "curfew" order in Hongkong as a precaution against rabies, there appears to have been a fairly zealous destruction of dogs which have been found abroad during prohibited hours. We would not be referring further to this subject were it not for the evident effect this campaign is having on some persons who think the measures too drastic. We yield to none in our appreciation of the good qualities of a dog, man's truly faithful friend, but all the same we think it should be pointed out that this is no time for sentiment, and if owners are so careless as to omit the necessary precautions, they deserve to lose their pets. The officers responsible for the shooting of dogs cannot be expected to go to the trouble of finding out whether an animal is owned by a fond, but remiss, citizen, or is merely an ordinary stray. An order has been passed for the destruction of all dogs which are loose in public places between ten at night and six in the morning, and it behoves owners to see that their particular fancies are not breaking the regulations, both because of the chance of other people being bitten as well as owing to the risk the dogs run of being infected by a rabid animal and thus spreading the virus. Drastic measures have been introduced, and there has been fair warning, so if pets are lost through failure to observe the regulations the owners have only themselves to blame.

### PROPERTY SALE.

**GOOD PRICE FETCHED.**  
With regard to the sale of 105, Jervois Street, at the China Auction Rooms by Mr. E. V. M. R. do Sousa yesterday, the report which appears elsewhere in this issue contains one or two misstatements.

The bidding opened at \$10,000, was then raised to \$11,000, and the lot was eventually sold to Mr. Yee Chak-sang for \$11,100. It should, however, be explained that the sale was subject to a mortgage of \$45,000, which the purchaser had to pay. The real price, therefore, was \$66,100, which works out at \$64.6 per square foot, which is considered extremely good.

### DAY BY DAY.

LET GENTLENESS THY STRONG  
ENFORCEMENT BE.—Shakespeare.

One Chinese case of typhoid was reported yesterday.

The Shanghai interport cricket team, lost by the Empress of Russia to-day.

Lady Sevora is to distribute the prizes at the Victoria British School on Wednesday next.

A Tokyo telegram to the *Daily Bulletin* says Mr. Nagai, Minister to Sweden, proceeded to Kobo to-day, where he will embark on board the Suwa Maru.

The master of the motor boat Sing Fook was fined \$10 at the Marine Court this morning for making fast his boat to the s.s. Foochow when the ship was under way in the harbour.

Mr. J. Sullivan, an American, met with a mishap at the Ico Factory at Laichikok yesterday, when he fell and fractured his leg. He was taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

There will be a cinematograph display at the Helene May Institute tomorrow, Friday Nov. 21st, at the Children's Hour, 5 o'clock. Tickets 50 cents each; family ticket for three people \$1.—Advt.

A Chinese was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour by Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, for returning to the Colony from banishment having been deported in July last for a period of ten years.

We are informed that a sum of \$1,700.14 was secured as a result of the Fancy Dress Ball organised by the Naval and Dockyard Branch of the Hongkong Women's Guild and Ministering Children's League on 7th November.

Two small boys, brothers in a family living at No. 70, Third Street, were admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday suffering from symptoms of poisoning. It was stated that they picked up some herbs in the street and ate them without knowing what they exactly were.

Three men who are alleged to have been implicated in the attack and robbery of a woman and a coolie at Jardine's Bazaar, were remanded for a week on appearance before Mr. N. L. Smith at the Central Magistracy this morning. In addition to these charges, one of the prisoners was also accused of being in possession of a dagger.

Scenes that beggar description, episodes more bizarre than any found in the *Thousand and One Nights*, a veritable fairytale of midnight adventure abound in "Broadway After Dark," the excellent picture showing at the World Theatre this evening. It was adapted from the Owen Davis play and the cast is headed by such celebrities as Adolpho Menjou, Norma Shearer, Anna Q. Nilsson, Willard Louis and thousand others.

Two Fergusons—Helen and Casson—who, though of the same family name are not related and who prior to their engagement for the picture had never met, play opposite each other in the all-star production of Jack London's novel, "The Mutiny of the *Elsinore*," showing at the Queen's Theatre to-day. The picture is a C. E. Shurtliff, Inc., production and is distributed by Metro. Buster Keaton is also to be seen in his latest and funniest comedy, "The Goat," in two reels.

**SHANGHAI QUOTATIONS.**  
Messrs. Ellis and Co. have kindly supplied us with the following cable quotations of Shanghai stocks from their Shanghai office:

Langkate (comb.) — Tls. 1814, buyers.

Ewos. — Tls. 11.40, buyers.  
Shanghai Docks. — Tls. 93, buyers.

New Engineering. — Tls. 6.75, buyers.

Orientals. — Tls. 3.70, buyers.  
Shanghai Cotton. — Tls. 34, buyers.

### INTERPORT CRICKET.

HOW HONGKONG WON.

The last of the Interport matches concluded yesterday, when Hongkong defeated Malaya by two wickets and thus came out top in the series. When our first edition went to press last evening, Hongkong's second innings score stood at 90 for three wickets, Hancock and Quick being the batsmen. When the score had been taken to 110, the latter was bowled by Thompson, after a fine innings of 67, which was the most decisive factor in Hongkong's win. Hancock continued to keep his end up and played with rare generalship, but he lost his partners one by one, and when seven wickets had fallen the home team still needed nine runs to win. The eighth wicket fell at 142—or three less than needed, but eventually Hancock got hold of a ball, and sent it well to the boundary, thus winning the match amidst loud cheers.

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Hongkong—2nd Innings.

R. E. A. Webster, c Foster, b Knight.

E. K. Quick, b Thompson.

A. W. Ramsey, c Edwards, b Thompson.

S. M. Stripp, c Foster, b Grenier.

T. E. Pearce, b Grenier.

H. R. B. Hancock, not out.

H. Owen Hughes, b Knight.

E. L. Hargreaves, c Thompson, b Knight.

A. C. I. Bowker, c and b Knight.

T. B. Powell, not out.

Extras.

Total (for 8 wkt.)

E. B. Reed did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

F. H. Thompson .. 10 1 40 2

P. N. Knight .. 12 2 34 4

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O. M. R. W.

A. J. W. Evans, b Goodwin .. 0

W. C. G. Clifford, c Lee, b Goodwin.

D. W. Leach, b Pendered.

D. C. Burn, c Lyle, b Pendered.

J. A. Quayle, c Lyle, b Gifford.

T. L. Hawthorne, retired hurt.

W. E. O'Hara, b Evans.

G. F. Gardner, b Evans.

E. R. Duckett, b Goodwin.

E. G. Barnes, c Matthews, b Evans.

T. R. Wilson, not out.

C. B. Peck, c Young, b Evans.

Extras ..

Total ..

E. B. Reed did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Goodwin .. 7 1 40 8

Lyle .. 4 1 18

Young .. 5 — 28

Pendered .. 6 — 30 2

Evans .. 6.5 1 28 4

Gifford .. 3 — 19 1

Total ..

E. B. Reed did not bat.

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TWO-MINUTE TALKS A Daily Topic  
By ROBERT POWER

## DELUSED EYES.

There is surely no more cruel disappointment than that experienced by the thirst-tormented traveller passing over the desert so splendidly with the aid of common-places of "the daily round, the common task." But too often ambitions fade and promised joys prove to be delusive. Years are consumed by many in this pressing forward to grasp—what? The mirage seen by deluded eyes.

There is a sad fatality in many a pilgrimage where the mirage lures from the beaten track. It is said that in the desert of Turkestan a vision of a pool and palms may be viewed with startling clearness, but it leads to destruction. Many travellers have followed it, only to find themselves hopelessly lost amid the endless hillocks of sand in the valleys where the bones of men and camels are whitening in the sun.

Reality is rarely so attractive as the mirage. And duty, the right path, and the job which lies to hand—all seldom seems so acceptable to the ardent mind as the bright visions which hold the imagination. Dreaming beckon, but duties call for action. Your circumstances may seem like an imprisoning cage, but beware of the mirage of instant success, if only (as it seems to you) you can break out by some dramatic sortie. Hard work—perseverance—holding down the job until you get a better—real results will thus be attained, but not by following the mirage of Success without Labour.

How many a traveller through life has been led on by visions seen by deluded eyes! The castles built in the air have all

## TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

Tobacconists who have installed automatic machines for selling cigarettes are sceptical as to the supposed innate honesty of the Londoner for they commonly find depreciated or spurious coins used instead of shillings. Other possibilities of loss arise, as when the machine, by being out of order, accepts shillings without delivering the goods. This recently happened in the St. Pancras area, and the tobacconist found in the machine three coins (one of them bad) in excess of what there should have been. Within five minutes of opening, however, there were three claimants of the coins, followed throughout the day by a stream of the observant, who had watched the disappointment of would-be clients the night before, and all claimed to have been victimised.

At a sitting held a few weeks ago, after elaborate investigations, the special Harvest Commission of the Soviet Supreme Economic Council definitely put it on record that the earlier estimates greatly exaggerated the Russian harvest for 1924, the total yield of which is actually at least 5,000,000 tons below that of last year, and is therefore insufficient even for the feeding of Russia's own population and cattle and for sowing. It was stated at the meeting that the grain export programme could hardly be carried out; in any case the utmost care would have to be observed. In view of this pronouncement the Supreme Economic Council has revised the export plan for other products, and has decided to make up the deficiency by increasing the export of timber by 27 per cent., and the export of naphtha by 150 per cent., and by endeavouring to export considerable quantities of manganese and even of coal. It has also been decided, in view of the menace to the foreign trade balance, to export precious stones, cotton fabrics, and sugar to the East.

A woman of about 65 years of age was admitted last month to the Civil Hospital, Matara, Ceylon, with serious injuries caught by a crocodile in the river just behind the hospital. It appears that the woman went to the riverside as usual to gather some herbs, when the crocodile suddenly seized her by the leg. The woman succeeded in getting out of the grip, leaving a piece of flesh with the crocodile. The crocodile made a second attack before she was well out of the water and seized her this time by the left arm. Her cries brought some people to the spot, and one of them started labouring the animal with an oar when it finally gave up the attack and disappeared. It is curious that this woman was the fourth in the family to be attacked by a crocodile and at the same spot, the last victim having succumbed to the injuries. The woman's arm was amputated the same morning.

Mr. Kelley said that progress in concrete construction in the last century had largely been a matter of individual effort. Joint efforts would give the industry a greater progress in the coming century. Aspdin had done more literally to bind the world together than the diplomats of all time.

The Chairman of the British Federation, said that Britain was on the eve of a great concrete age. In the United States that age had already dawned.

The Lord Mayor said it was hoped that in the near future there would be a chair at the local university for cement and concrete engineering.

## MORE COLOUR.

Efforts for the bright and beautiful are being made both in Kensington and Chelsea. It is in those districts that one sees more blue, red, and purple private houses than in any part of London. At a recent meeting in Kensington Town Hall of the Church-street Guild it was stated that shops with good colour and lettering had experienced improvement in their trade. Indeed, one member said that the orders in one day of customers, who said they had never noticed his shop until it was painted blue, paid for all the scheme of decoration. There is, of course, a good deal of nonsense talked about a "brighter" London. But to this other sense of the word, comments the *Times*, serious meaning may be attached.

## CLOSE SECRET.

In any case he kept his process a close secret, allowing no one but the workmen to enter his premises, and taking part himself in every operation. His son, William Aspdin, continued the policy of covering the manufacture with a veil of mystery. The works were surrounded by walls twenty feet high, with no way in except through the office, and even workmen were kept in ignorance as far as possible of the secrets of the process.

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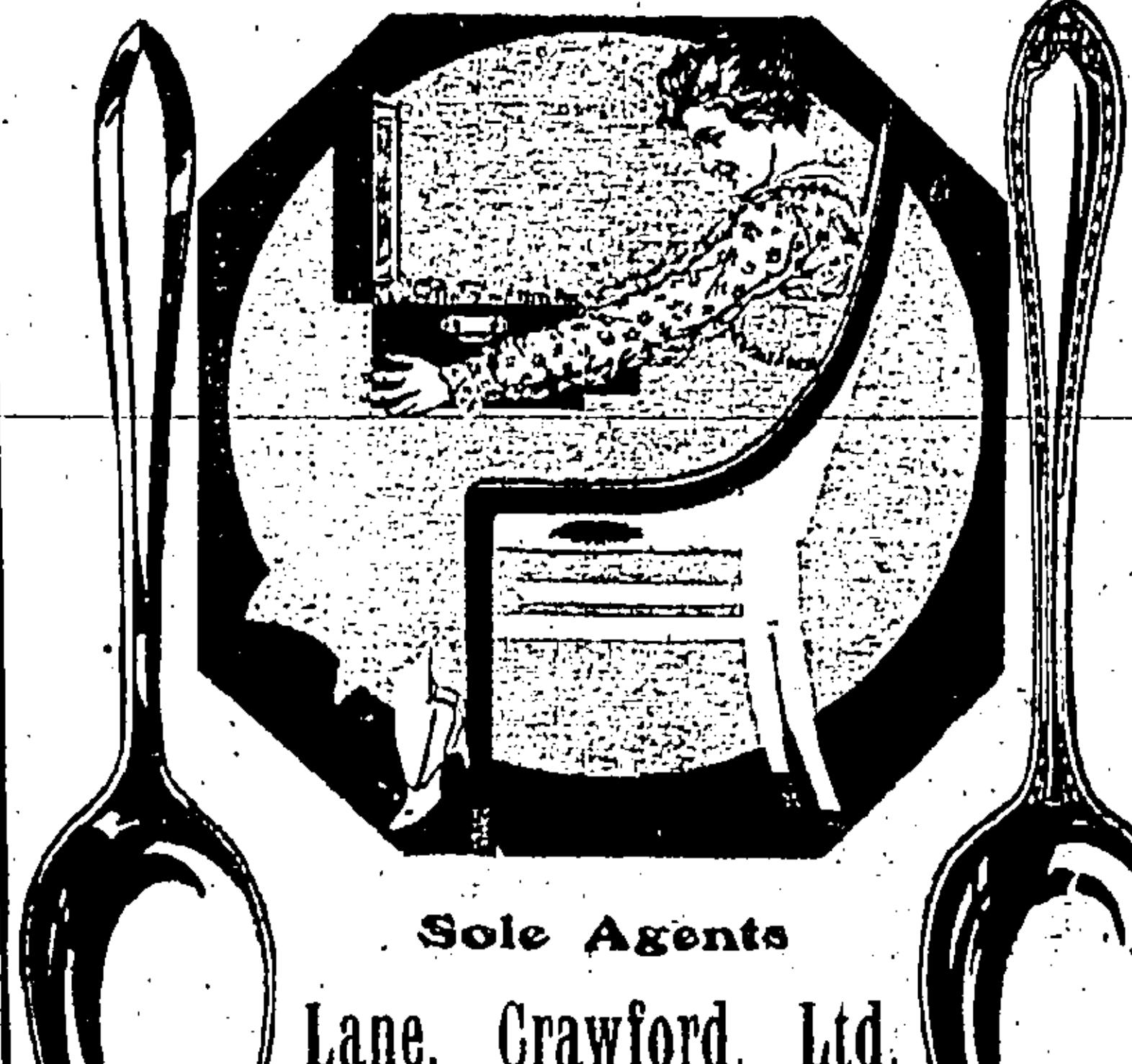
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The apparatus is enclosed in a neat little case with a lead cone for concentrating the rays. The operator has only to connect it with an ordinary electrical plug and it is ready for use.

"Seeing through a brick wall" with this apparatus is an easy operation. Thousands of secret

cupboards, some containing old treasure, are known to be in existence in this country, but most efforts to trace their location have been fruitless.

Now, however, the X-ray can clear up the mysteries of centuries. The operator holding the apparatus stands on one side of the wall. On the other is the observer, who holds a fluorescent screen before which a film is placed. When the rays are projected on the wall they reveal on the film any differences in its density caused by a cavity. If coins or metal objects were hidden in it they would immediately appear on the film.

Another romantic possibility of this wonderful instrument concerns the subterfuges of the smuggler. If, for instance, contraband were hidden in a ball of wool, the mysterious "eyes" in the rays, now the rays can come to it. The many complicated "gadgets" necessary to their use, too, have been abolished.

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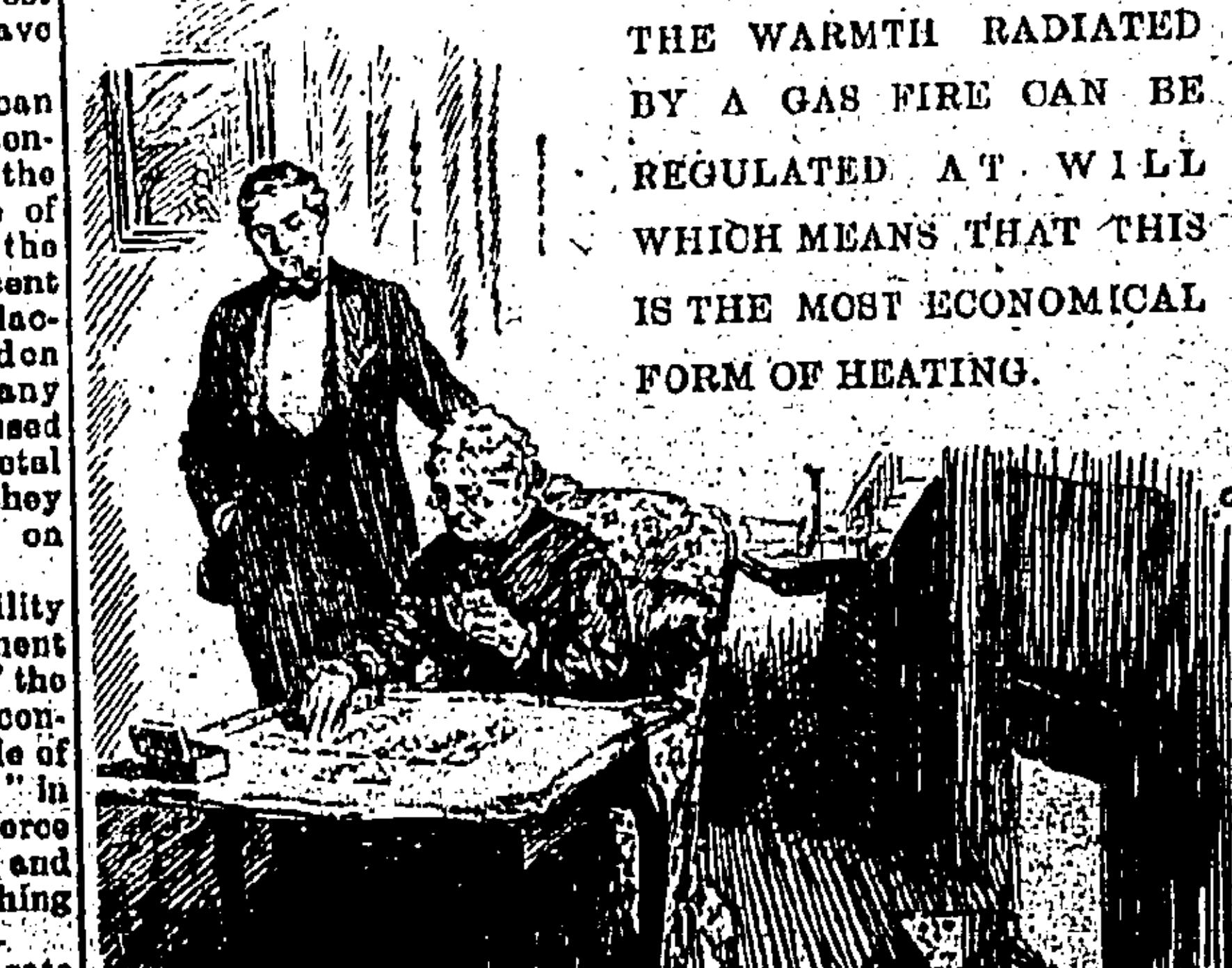
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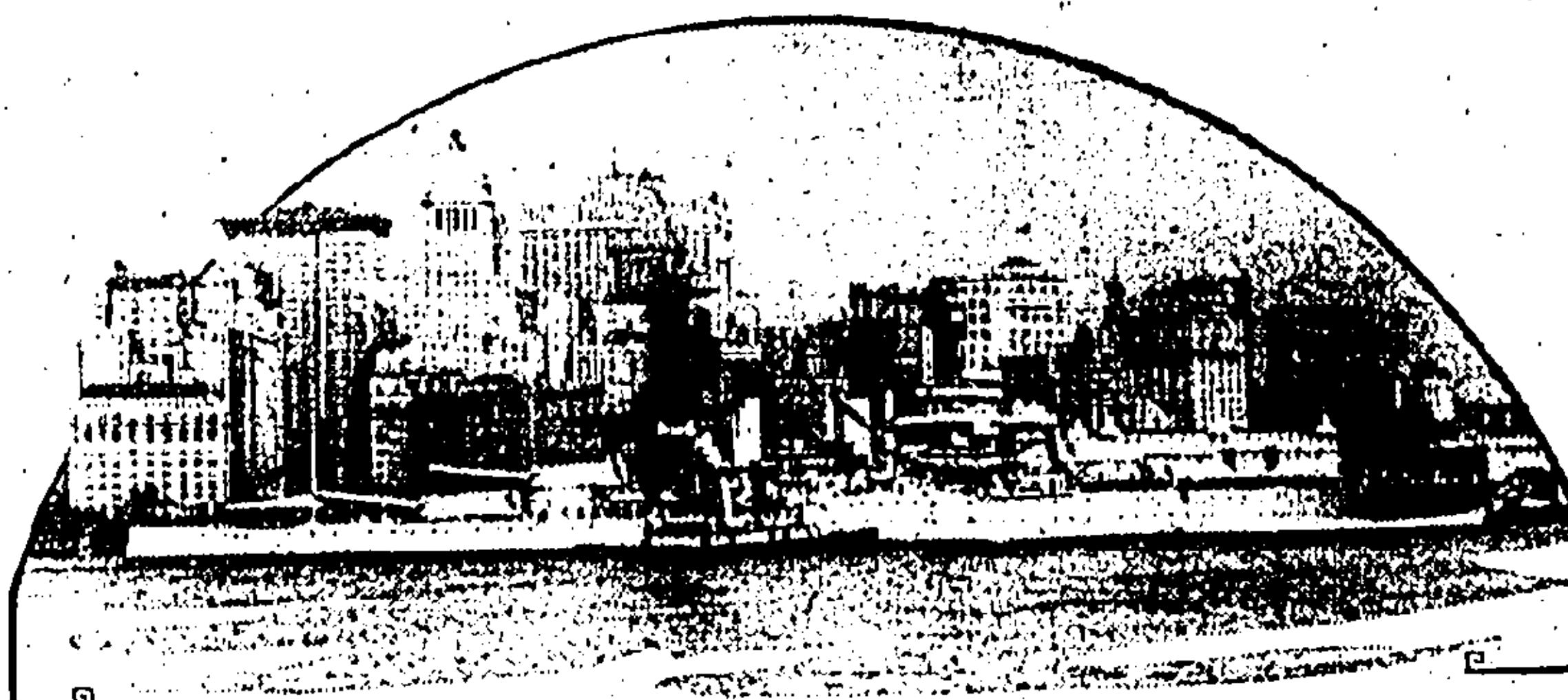
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NEW RECORD.—With a splash this navy plane, piloted by Lieutenant David Rittenhouse, lands on the waters at Port Washington, after making a new world's record of 243 1/2 miles an hour—a record made while preparing for the seaplane races to be held at Baltimore.



SHANGHAI'S PIPERS.—Shanghai Scottish now have an excellent pipe band and drummers to lead them. In this picture is seen Piper Law, one of the Company's three pipers, and the drummer boys preparing to head the Company in the march past.



OVER WHITE HOUSE.—The Shenandoah passes over the White House on its epoch-making flight to the Pacific Coast.



STILL SMILING.—Mr. S. Fessenden, Chairman of the Shanghai Municipal Council, always has a smile to offer to his friends. This picture was snapped at the Race Course after the ceremonial parade.



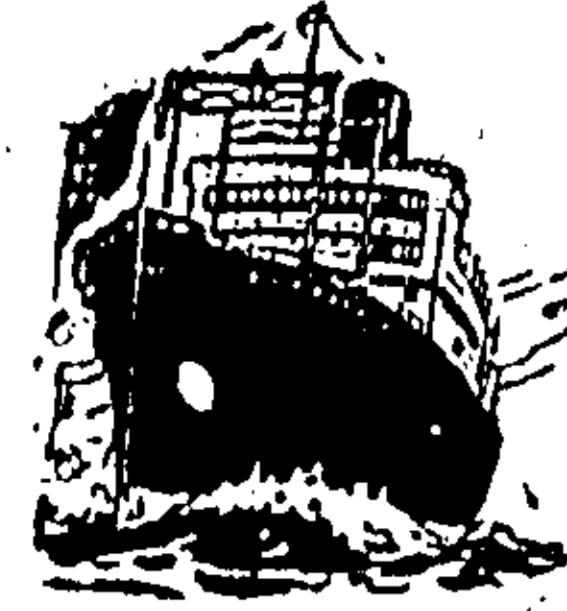
FAIR ORATOR.—Lady Cynthia Mosley, one of the most beautiful women in England, who went on stump for Labour in the elections. She spoke on behalf of her Socialist husband's candidacy, despite the violent objections of her father, the Marquis of Curzon.



PRINCE IN CANADA.—With a primitive log cabin replacing palatial American daises, the Prince of Wales (left) spent leisure at the Calgary, Canada, ranch. He is shown with his son for a cattle sale and photo in company with Fletcher and Mrs. Carlyle.



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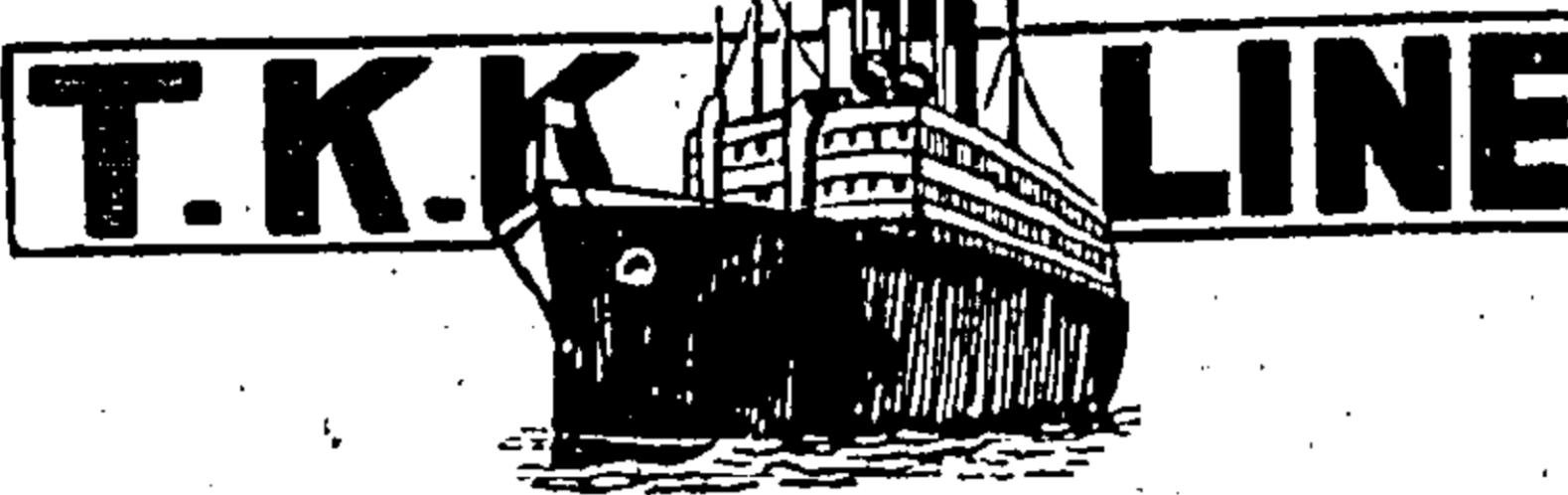
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	29th Nov.	7th Dec.
S.S. KATHALAMBA	via Suez Canal	29th Nov.
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DEMODOCUS	1st Dec.	Mars, Havre, Liverpool & Glasgow
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(via Kobe and Yokohama)

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(via Suez or Panama)

OANFA	7th Dec.	Boston, New York, Baltimore via Suez
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HYSON	20th Dec.	Boston, New York, Baltimore via Suez
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(via Suez or Panama)

TEIRESIAS	29th Nov.	for Shanghai
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HECTOR	16th Dec.	for Singapore, Marseilles & London
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TEIRESIAS	28th Dec.	for Singapore, Marseilles & London
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SARPEDON	27th Jan.	for Singapore, Marseilles & London
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PATROCLUS	10th Mar.	for Singapore, Marseilles & London
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ANTON	7th
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SARDINIA	6,684	26th Nov. noon	Spore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
KARMA	9,098	29th Nov. noon	M'les, London & Antwerp
MANTUA	10,002	13th Dec.	Marseilles & London
SOUDAN	6,096	24th Dec.	Spore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
KHIVA	9,135	27th Dec.	M'les, London & Antwerp
MACEODONIA	11,089	10th Jan. 1925	Marseilles & London
SICILIA	6,813	21st Jan. ,	Spore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
KALYAN	9,118	24th Jan. ,	M'les, London & Antwerp
MOREA	10,911	7th Feb. ,	Marseilles & London
BARDINIA	6,684	18th Feb. ,	Spore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
KASHMIR	8,963	21st Feb. ,	M'les, London & Antwerp
MALWA	10,941	7th Mar. ,	Marseilles & London
SOUDAN	6,696	18th Mar. ,	Spore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
KASHIGAR	9,005	21st Mar. ,	M'les, London & Antwerp
SICILIA	6,813	31st Mar. ,	Spore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
MANTUA	10,902	4th Apr. ,	M'les, London & Antwerp
KARMA	9,098	18th Apr. ,	M'les, London & Antwerp
MACEODONIA	11,089	2nd May. ,	M'les, London & Antwerp
SARDINIA	6,684	16th May. ,	Spore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay

**BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)**

VALWA	10,000	20th Nov. 11 P.M.	Spore, Ponang & Calcutta
THIWA	8,500	7th Dec.	Spore, Ponang & Calcutta
WALIWA	8,500	16th Dec.	Spore, Ponang & Calcutta

**EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South)**

ESTERN	4,000	25th Nov 4 P.M.	Manila, S'kan, Thursday Is.,
ARAFURA	6,000	31st Dec.	Townsville, B'ban, Sydney
ST. ALBANS	4,500	28th Jan. 1925	and Melbourne.

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PAKLIWA	8,500	27th Nov.	Kobe
SOUDAN	6,696	29th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji, & Kobe
KHIVA	9,135	30th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
ARAFARA	6,000	6th Dec.	Moji & Kobe
FAIREA	8,500	8th Dec.	Kobe
MACEODONIA	11,089	13th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
KALYAN	9,118	27th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
SICILIA	6,813	27th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe

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WIRELESS OF ALL STEAMERS.

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CARNARVONSHIRE	27th Nov.	GLEN JARRY	20th Nov.
GLENTARA	14th Dec.	London, Rotterdam & H'burg.	London, Rotterd'am & H'burg.
GLENBEG	25th Dec.	GLENAPP	2nd Dec.
GLENSHIEL	8th Jan.	London, Rotterd'am & H'burg.	CARNARVONSHIRE

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AMAZONE	—	23rd Nov.	for 5th Dec.
ANGKOR	—	7th Dec.	for 1st Dec.
ANGERS	23rd Oct.	24th Nov.	21st Dec.
PAUL LECAT	6th Nov.	8th Dec.	4th Jan. 1925.
ANDRE LEBOH	20th Nov.	22nd Dec.	18th Dec.
AMBOISE	4th Dec.	5th Jan. 1925.	1st Feb. 1925.

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SUWA MARU ... Wednesday, 3rd Dec. at 11 a.m.

FUSHIMI MARU ... Wednesday, 17th Dec. at 11 a.m.

HAMBURG via LONDON &amp; ROTTERDAM &amp; Ports.

LIVERPOOL via ADEN &amp; MARSHALL ISLANDS.

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MISHIMA MARU ... Friday, 21st Nov. at 11 a.m.

TANGO MARU ... Wednesday, 17th Dec. at 11 a.m.

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TAKAO MARU ... Thursday, 4th Dec.

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KAWACHI MARU ... Saturday, 20th Dec.

BOMBAY via Singapore &amp; Colombo.

TOBA MARU ... Friday, 28th Nov.

FUKUKI MARU ... Wednesday, 10th Dec.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang &amp; Rangoon.

AKITA MARU ... Monday, 1st Dec.

NAKANO MARU ... Tuesday, 9th Dec.

NAGASAKI, KORE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

YOSHINO MARU ... Thursday, 11th Dec.

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TOKUSHIMA MARU (Moji direct) ... Sunday, 23rd Nov.

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